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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of

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for METHOD FOR THE PURIFICATION OF BLOOD BY MEANS OF HEMODIALYSIS AND/OR HEMOFILTRATION AND APPARATUS FOR PERFORMING SAID METHOD.

The application comprises a  $\underline{15}$ -page specification, including  $\underline{13}$  claims (2 independent) and Abstract and  $\underline{1}$  sheet of drawings.

Also accompanying this application for filing is:

Preliminary Amendment; and

Acertified copy of European Application No. 00114654.7, filed July 7, 2000, the priority of which is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §119.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. §1.53 (without Declaration or Filing Fee). The required Declaration and Filing Fee will be filed subsequently.

Respectfully submitted,

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